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LATEST 'BACKROADS OF MONTANA' PROGRAM TO AIR SEPT. 23

MISSOULA --

The latest program in The University of Montana's award-winning television series, "Backroads of Montana," will air Friday evening, Sept. 23, in western Montana and throughout the coverage area for Spokane public television station KSPS.

The half-hour program, the sixth in the "Backroads" series, will air at 5 p.m. on KSPS.

This installment of "Backroads" features the Prairie Symphonette, the community orchestra in Scobey. Viewers will join host William Marcus as he stops at Butte's famous Pork Chop John's for lunch, visits a tepee built out of baling twine near Wise River, watches the sunrise in southwest Montana's Centennial Valley and tries his hand at fly-fishing on the Madison River near West Yellowstone. The program originates from the Grant-Kohrs Ranch National Historic Site in Deer Lodge.

"Backroads of Montana" has won two Program of the Year awards from the Montana Broadcasters Association. Series host Marcus is acting director of UM's Telecommunications Center. The series is produced by Marcus, Gus Chambers and Ray Ekness of the Telecommunications Center.

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